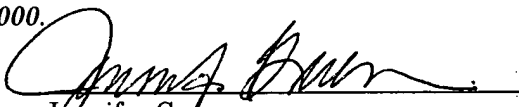




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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
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Applicant : John G. Wasserbauer, et al.
Application No. : 09/587,074
Filed : June 2, 2000
Title : SINGLE MODE VERTICAL CAVITY SURFACE EMITTING LASER

Grp./Div : 2881
Examiner : To Be Determined

Docket No. : 39485/SAH/C715

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Post Office Box 7068
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December 11, 2000

Commissioner:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated August 7, 2000 for **three month(s)** from **October 7, 2000** to **January 7, 2001**.

The fee for extension of time required by 37 CFR § 1.17 is calculated below.

CALCULATION OF FEE			
LENGTH OF EXTENSION	SMALL ENTITY	LARGE ENTITY	FEE
WITHIN FIRST MONTH	\$ 55	\$110	\$
WITHIN SECOND MONTH	\$195	\$390	\$
WITHIN THIRD MONTH	\$445	\$890	\$445.00
WITHIN FOURTH MONTH	\$695	\$1390	\$
WITHIN FIFTH MONTH	\$945	\$1890	\$

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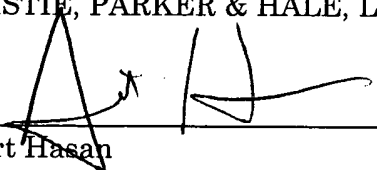


The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper to Deposit Account No. 03-1728. Please show our docket number with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account. **A copy of this letter is enclosed.**

Respectfully submitted,

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